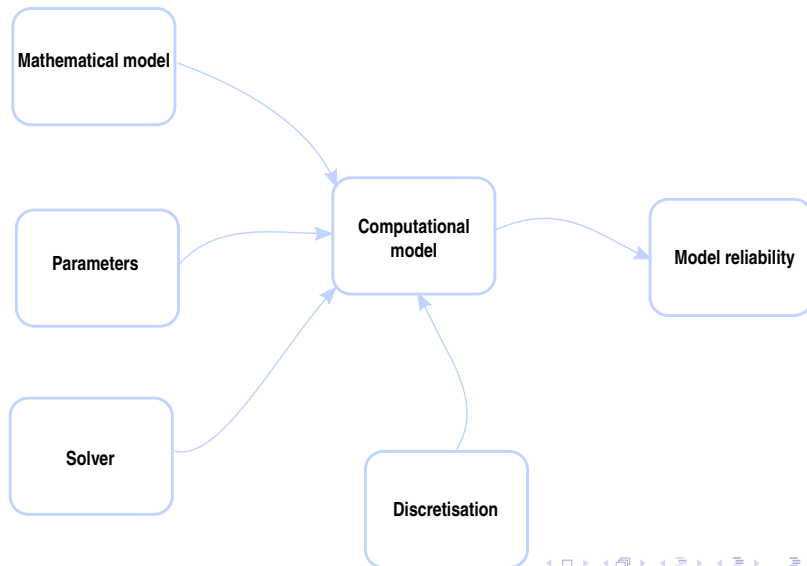


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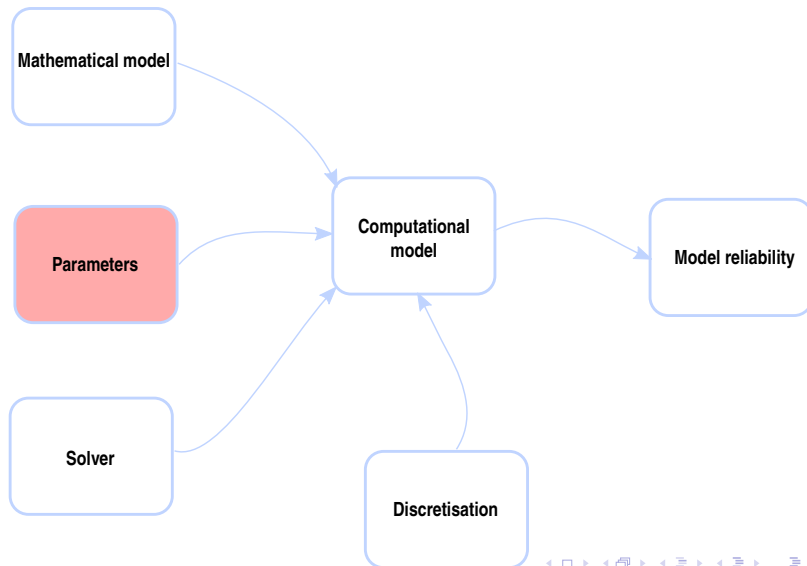
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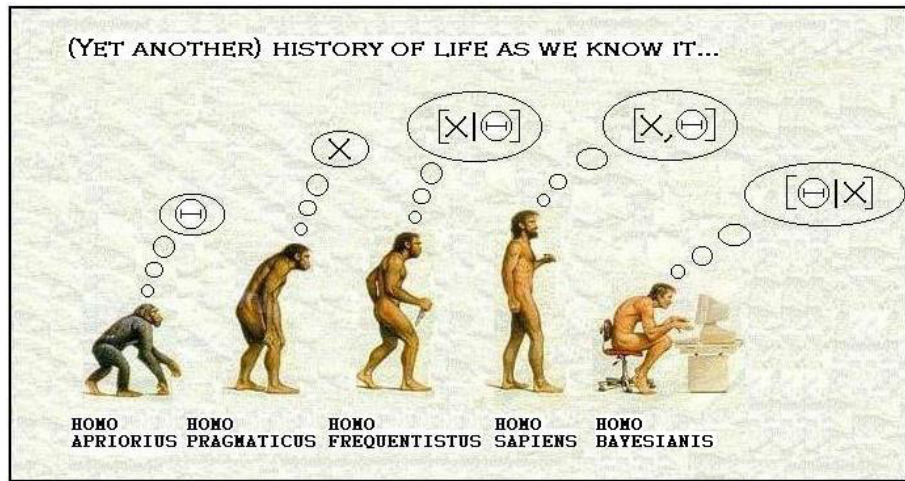
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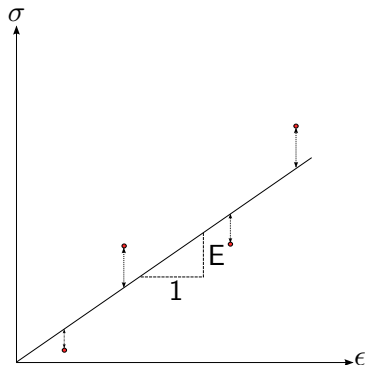
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**Least squares method**(conventional approach):

$$\sigma = E\epsilon$$

$$J = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (\sigma_i - E\epsilon_i)^2$$

$$\bar{E} = \underset{E}{\operatorname{argmin}} J(E)$$



# Frequentist inference

## Example

Chance that a specific coin lands heads or tails

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10



6

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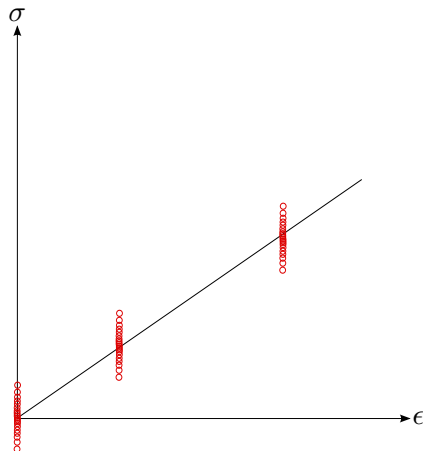
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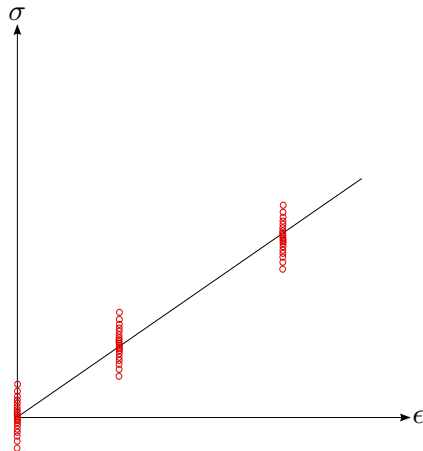


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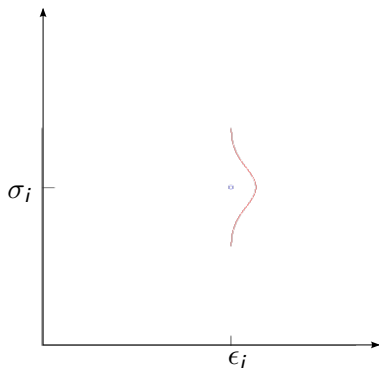
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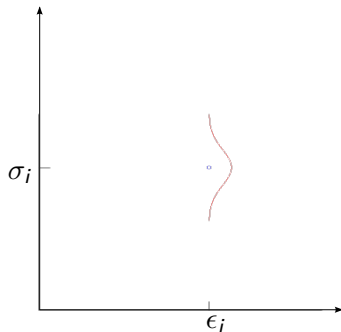
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ML for  $M$  measurements:

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma}^m = [\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_M]$$

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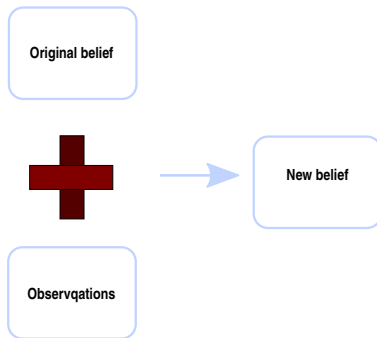


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- Given a coin is it biased or not?
- If two rolls turn up head, do we have biased coin?



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$$\pi(\text{cause}|\text{effect}) = \frac{\overbrace{\pi(\text{cause})}^{\text{prior}} \times \overbrace{\pi(\text{effect}|\text{cause})}^{\text{likelihood}}}{\underbrace{\pi(\text{effect})}_{\text{evidence}}}$$

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with  $\mu = f(\sigma_i, \bar{E}, S_{noise}, S_E, \epsilon_i)$   
 $S_{post} = f(\sigma_i, \bar{E}, S_{noise}, S_E, \epsilon_i)$

# Frequentist vs Bayesian

## Frequentist:

- Data are a repeatable random sample there is a frequency
- Underlying parameters remain constant during this repeatable process
- Parameters are fixed

## Bayesian:

- Data are observed from the realised sample
- Parameters are unknown and described probabilistically
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search for parameters **and** the distribution thereof → future work...

# The End